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U.S. Army Elements (ACE) Regulation 600-8-22 Interim Change No. I01 Expires 27 October 2005

# Decorations, Awards and Honors <u>ALLIED COMMAND OPERATIONS TRI-U.S. SERVICES DoD-LEVEL, AWARDS SYSTEM</u>

Justification. This interim change implements the amendment of U.S. Army Elements <u>ACE</u> Regulation 600-8-22 to change and read as Allied Command Operations Instructions (ACOI) 1348.33-M. All references to the Allied Command Europe (ACE) are changed to read Allied Command Operations (ACO). It implements the change of all references to the office symbol "ACDP-MPD-A" to read "ACDP-PAD". This interim change redefines Major Subordinate Commands under Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe (SHAPE). This interim change also implements the Supreme Allied Commander Europe (SACEUR) by name delegation of authority to subordinate commands. This change explains sequence when the SACEUR is not Army. It implements changes to add the process for exceptions to policy, recommendation formats and distribution requirements.

<u>Expiration</u>. This interim change expires two years from the date of publication and will be destroyed at that time unless sooner superseded or rescinded.

1. ACOI 1348.33-M, 16 January 1998, is changed as follows:

Page 1-2. Paragraph 1-5c, is amended as follows:

All joint award recommendations will be submitted in memorandum format in accordance with DoD Manual 1348.33m through staff and command channels to the appropriate approval authority. Request, narrative, and citation will be completed in 13 font.

Page 1-3. Paragraph 1-7e is superseded as follows:

ACO commands are defined as Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe major subordinate commands: Allied Forces North (AFNORTH), Air Command North(AIRNORTH), Joint Command Center (JCCENT), Navy North (NAVNORTH), Joint Command North (JCNORTH), Joint Command Northeast (JCNORTHEAST), Allied Forces South (AFSOUTH), Air Command South (AIRSOUTH), Joint Command South (JCSOUTH), Navy South (NAVSOUTH), Joint Command Southwest (JCSOUTHWEST), Joint Command South Center (JCSOUTHCENT), Joint Command Southeast (JCSOUTHEAST), 650<sup>th</sup> Military Intelligence Group (650<sup>th</sup> MI), U. S. Army North Atlantic Treaty Organization, SHAPE (USANATO SHAPE).

## <u>Page 2-1.</u> Paragraph 2-2c and d, the fifth sentence is amended as follows:

The SACEUR has further delegated approval/disapproval authority to the appropriate Senior U. S. Officers under the SACEUR's command. A by name request for delegation must be submitted. Approval is granted by the SACEUR and is only valid for the individual officer named.

# Page 2-4. Paragraph 2-9a is amended by adding after the fourth sentence to read:

In the event the SACEUR is not Army, all Army recommendations will be processed through the Commanding General (CG), USANATO.

# <u>Page 2-4.</u> Paragraph 2-9b is amended to add a second sentence to read:

An exception to policy for individuals that do not meet the degree criteria must first be submitted and approved by the Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD) before a recommendation is forwarded to this headquarters for processing.

### Page 3-1. Paragraph 3-2a, is superseded as follows:

Recommendations for DMSMs, JSCMs, and JSAMs, will be prepared in memorandum format 2 (see Appendix A for memorandum guidance) and will be addressed through normal command channels to the SACEUR. They will be transmitted to this headquarters, ATTN: ACDP-PAD, in the original and six copies.

#### Page 3-1. Paragraph 3-2b, second sentence will be amended to read:

They will be transmitted to this headquarters, ATTN: ACDP-PAD, as the original.

### Page 3-2. Paragraph 3-2e, is rescinded:

Page 3-2. Paragraph 3-2g, first sentence will be amended to add:

and typed in 13 font.

- 2. Post this change per DA Pam 310-13.
- 3. File this interim change in front of the publication.

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